

Year 7 Tutor Evening

Wallingford School
Able and Qualified

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This evening

- Who we are – the year 7 team
- Opportunities available throughout the academic year
- Curriculum information
- Edulink App

Tutors



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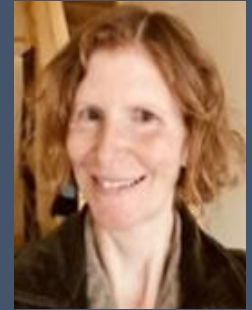
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EN/RLA – W9



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CWR – W13



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Ms Ramsey
JRA – K10



Ms Jones
MJ – W4

Important Parts to the Year (in no particular order!)

Get Reading

CAT Testing

KS3 Assessment Windows

End of Year Assessments

Progress Reports

Feedback Evenings

Year Group Trip

House Matches & Events



Trips – whole school

Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11	Year 12	Year 13
Geography Trip to Kew Gardens	Caen Trip (France)	The Year 9 Residential	Duke of Edinburgh Silver	World Challenge	World Challenge	6th Form trip to Barcelona
Restart a Heart Day	Aachen Trip (Germany)	Duke of Edinburgh Bronze	World Challenge	Ski trip 2025	Duke of Edinburgh Gold	Year 13 Revision trip to The Lakes
Talk the Talk Workshop	RAF Benson Inspirational Event	Ski trip 2025	Ski trip 2025	Geography trip to Sorrento	6th Form trip to Barcelona	Year 13 Biology trip (Genetic Fingerprints)
Maths Challenge	Maths Challenge	Geography Trip to Swanage	Work Experience	Geography trip to Iceland	German Exchange to Bad Wurzach	Y13 Geog Trip to South Wales
STARS trips	STARS trips	RAF Benson Inspirational Event	German Exchange to Bad Wurzach	History Trip to Berlin	French Exchange to Genoble	A Level History Trip to London
KS3 Williams Racing STEM Enrichment Day	KS3 Williams Racing STEM Enrichment Day	MFL at Oxford University	French Exchange to Genoble	A Christmas Carol theatre trip	Y12 Safe Drive Stay Alive	Hamnet theatre trip
KS3 Oxford Philharmonic Orchestra Strings Day	KS3 Oxford Philharmonic Orchestra Strings Day	Maths Challenge	Poetry Live	Poetry Live	KS5 Winter Wonderland Trip	A View From the Bridge theatre trip
A Midsummer Night's Dream theatre trip	Macbeth Theatre trip	STARS trips	GCSE Textiles trip to Botanical Gardens	GCSE Computer Science Trip	KS5 Politics Trip	Medea theatre trip
History of Wallingford Walking Tours	Human Careers Library	KS3 Williams Racing STEM Enrichment Day	KS4 Brightsparks Music trip	GCSE Textiles trip to Bath Fashion Museum	Merchant Taylors' Livery Awards	KS5 Winter Wonderland Trip
Scholars trip	Scholars trip	KS3 Oxford Philharmonic Orchestra Strings Day	GCSE BBC Good Food Trip	KS4 Brightsparks Music trip	A Level Languages Day at Oxford University	KS5 Politics Trip
Tilsley Park District Athletics	Tilsley Park District Athletics	Blood Brothers theatre trip	Business & RM IKEA NEA trip	Leavers Day & Prom	Oktoberfest Languages Trip	A Level Languages Day at Oxford University
Maths Challenge	Maths Challenge	Scholars trip	GCSE History Trip to Cannock	Art Exhibition	Hamnet theatre trip	A Level Food Trip
Art Exhibition	Art Exhibition	Tilsley Park District Athletics	GCSE Geography Fieldwork in Christchurch	STARS trips	A View From the Bridge theatre trip	Sixth Form Christmas Ball
Music Recitals & Spring Concert	Music Recitals & Spring Concert	Maths Challenge	Prefects (leadership role)	Music Recitals & Spring Concert	Medea theatre trip	Enrichment lectures
Sports Day	Sports Day	Art Exhibition	Art Exhibition	Sports Day	A Level History trip to London	Extended Project Qualification
Year group social events	Year group social events	Music Recitals & Spring Concert	STARS trips	Tilsley Park District Athletics	Safe Drive Stay Alive	Leavers Day & Ball
School Production	School Production	Sports Day	Music Recitals & Spring Concert	Year group social events	KS5 Winter Wonderland Trip	Art Exhibition
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					Students Leaders	
Plus termly house events, lunchtime enrichment clubs and after school sports clubs and fixtures throughout the year					Sixth Form Christmas Ball	
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Please check the School Calendar on the website for even more!



Wallingford School

All students will receive a first class education and leave us 'able and qualified'

We believe every student deserves to be challenged and inspired and our teachers deliver our knowledge rich curriculum.

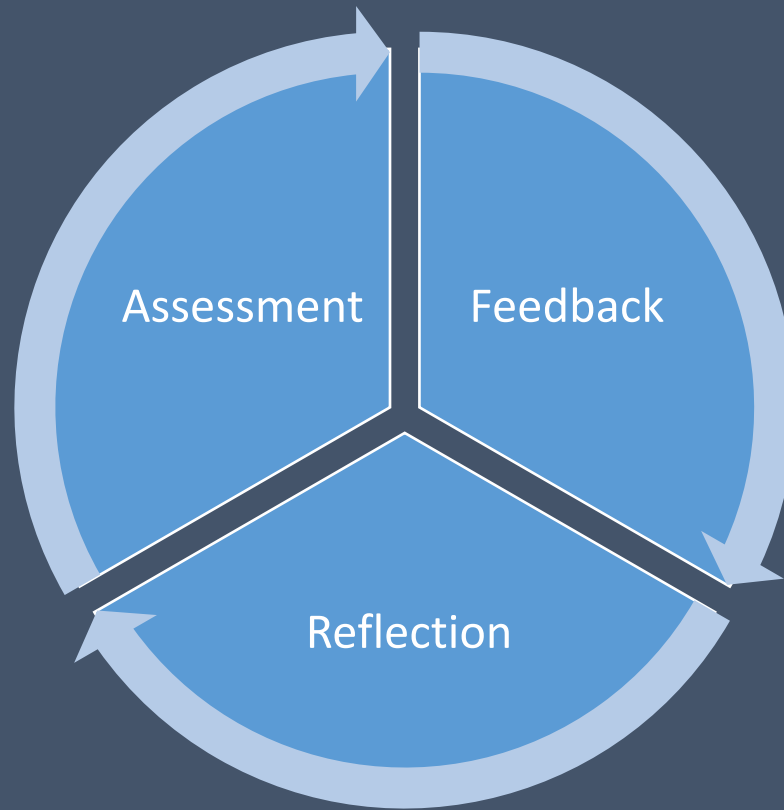
We place great emphasis in supporting our young people to find their place in society and encourage them to play an active party in our school community – through house competitions, enrichment activities and a variety of trips.



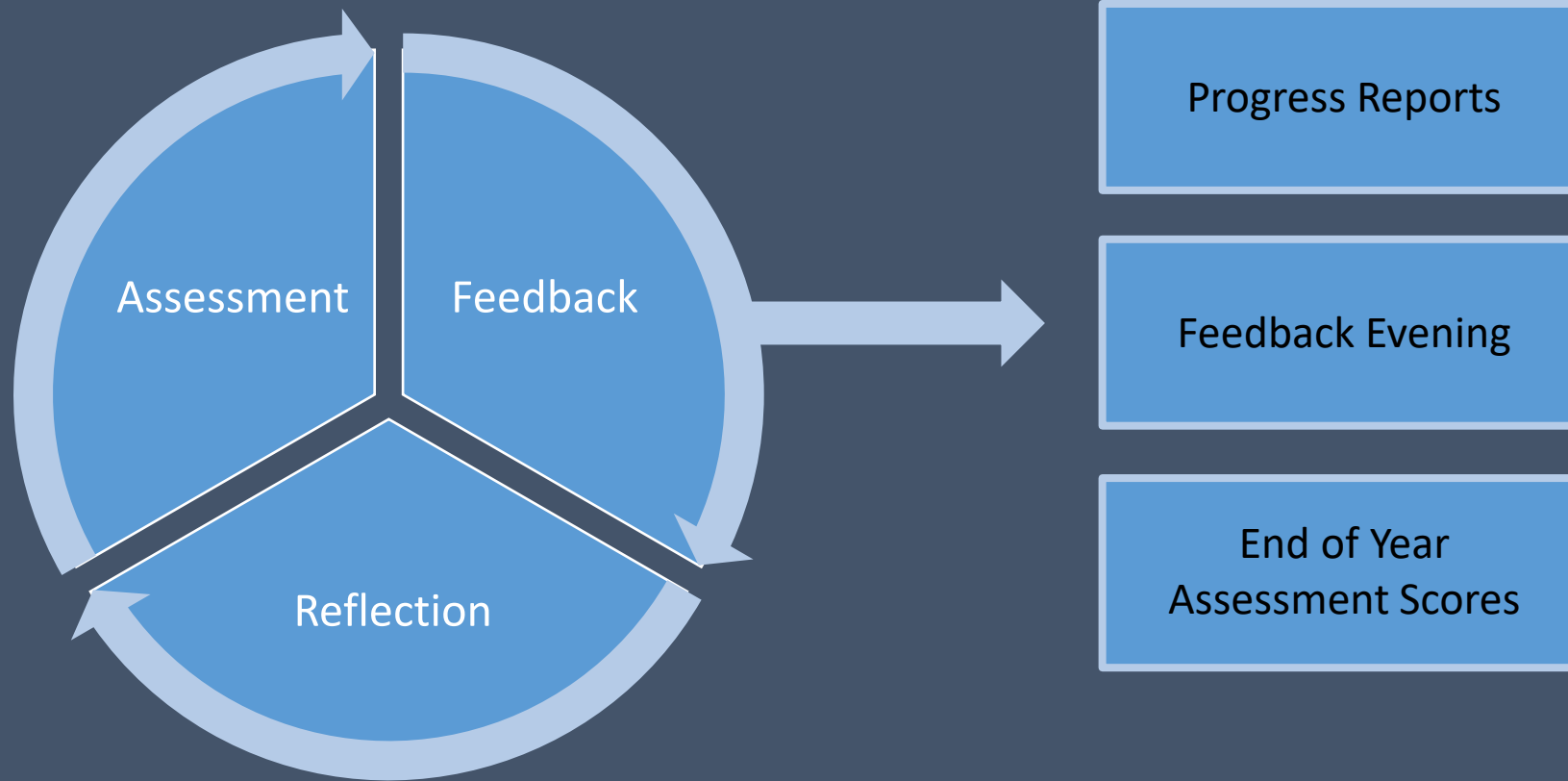
Curriculum Information

- Broad and balanced
- All lessons are mixed ability
- Homework set regularly using Satchel:One
- Targets
- Progress Reports
- Preparation for assessments
- Reflection on progress

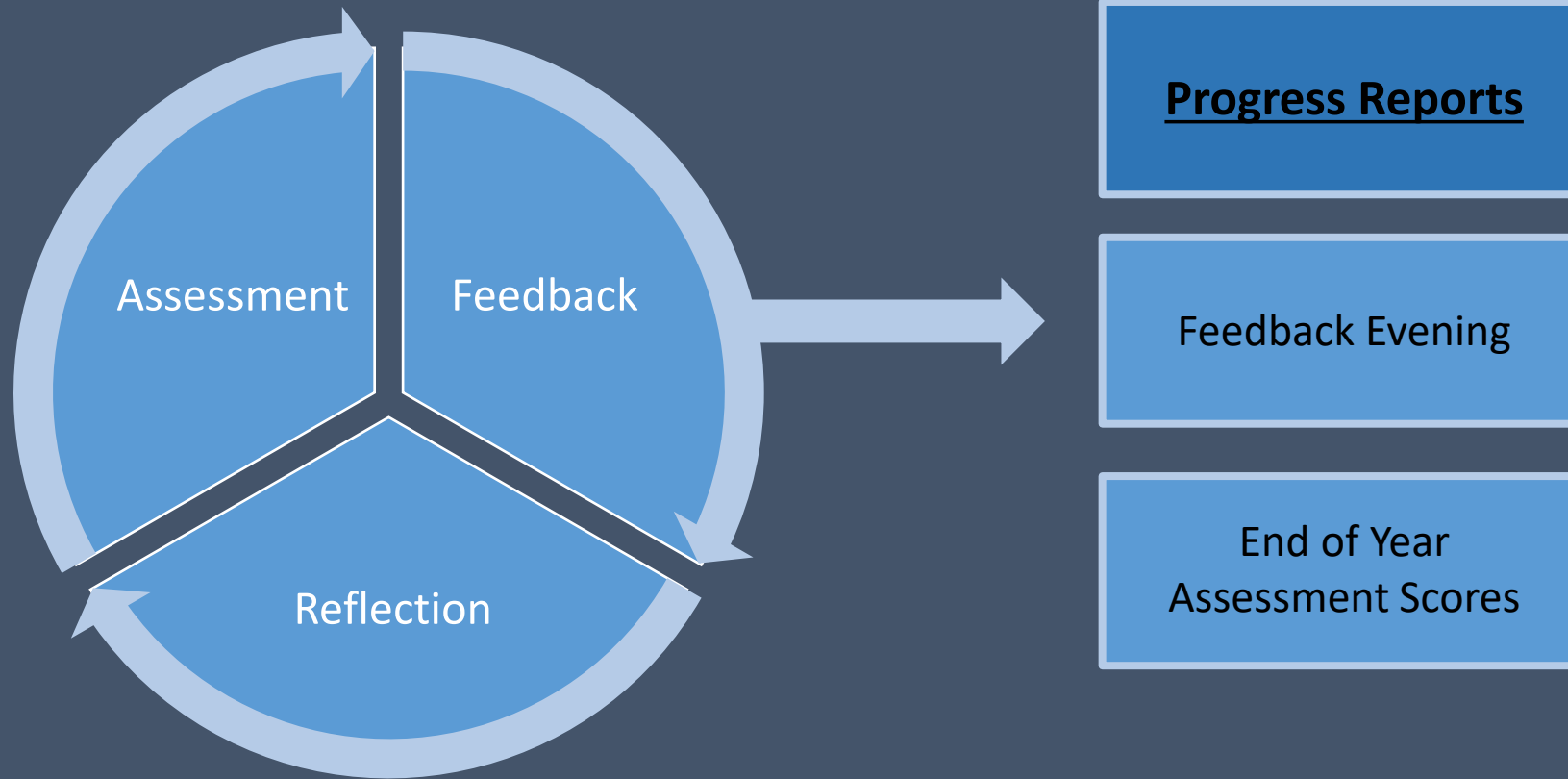
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Progress Reports

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Stem	N/A	N/A	Ms J Ramsey				
PSHE	N/A	N/A	Mr T Warren				
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				Attitude to Learning Scores, out of 100 			
				87	80	67	78
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*End of Year Predictions for each subject

*Indication of Progress made

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Targets: how are these calculated?





G	F	E	D	C	B	A	A* and new additional content/skills		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	



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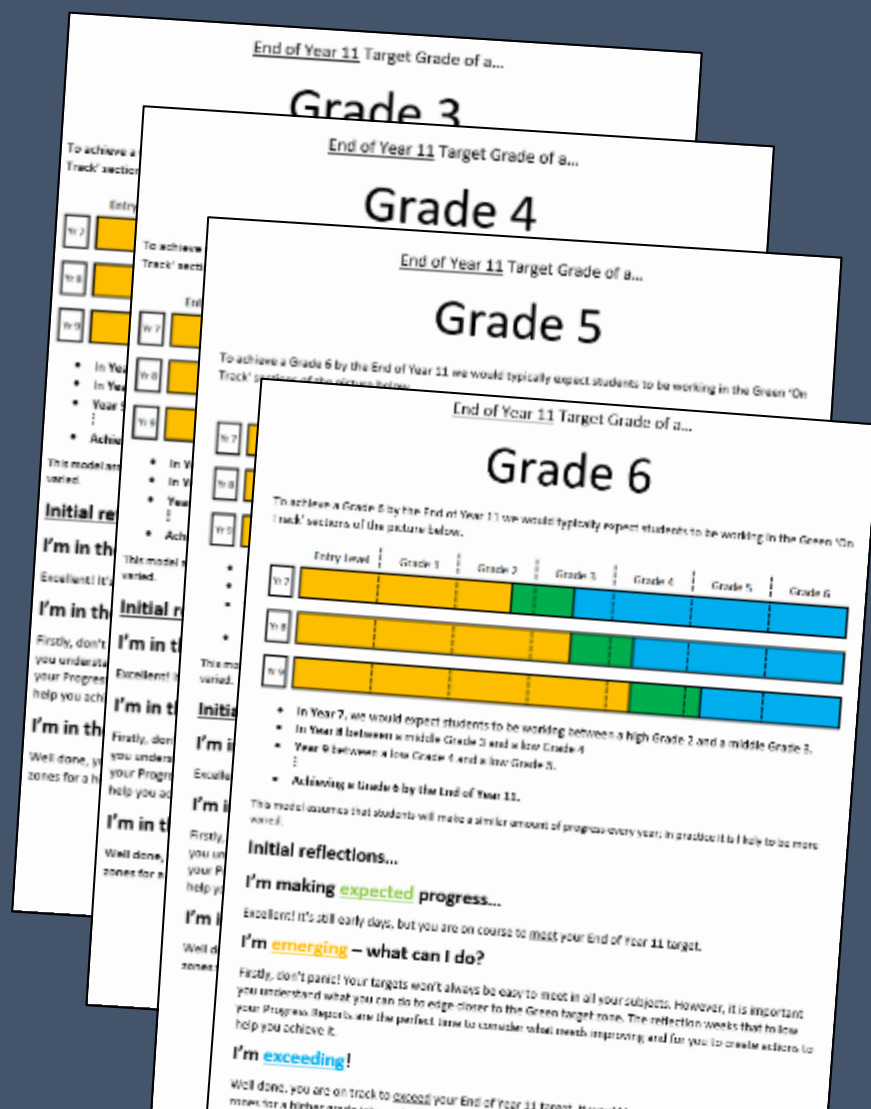


Individual End of Year 11 Targets:

Maths Target – Grade 6

English Target - Grade 7

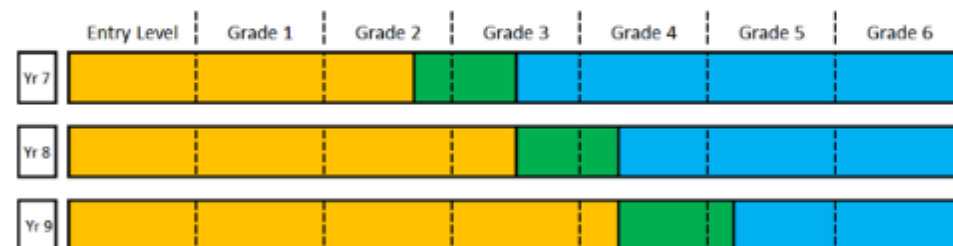
Other Subjects – Grade 6



End of Year 11 Target Grade of a...

Grade 6

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- In Year 8 between a middle Grade 3 and a low Grade 4
- Year 9 between a low Grade 4 and a low Grade 5.
- Achieving a Grade 6 by the End of Year 11.

This model assumes that students will make a similar amount of progress every year; in practice it is likely to be more varied.

Initial reflections...

I'm making **expected** progress...

Excellent! It's still early days, but you are on course to meet your End of Year 11 target.

I'm **emerging** – what can I do?

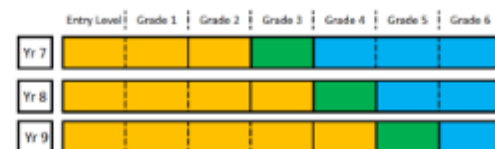
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I'm **exceeding!**

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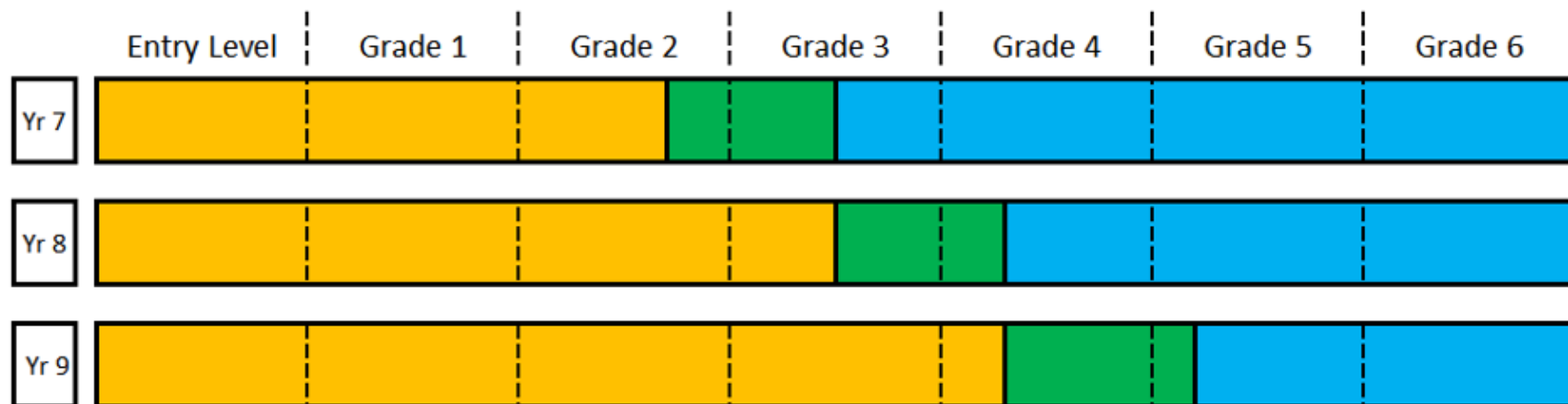
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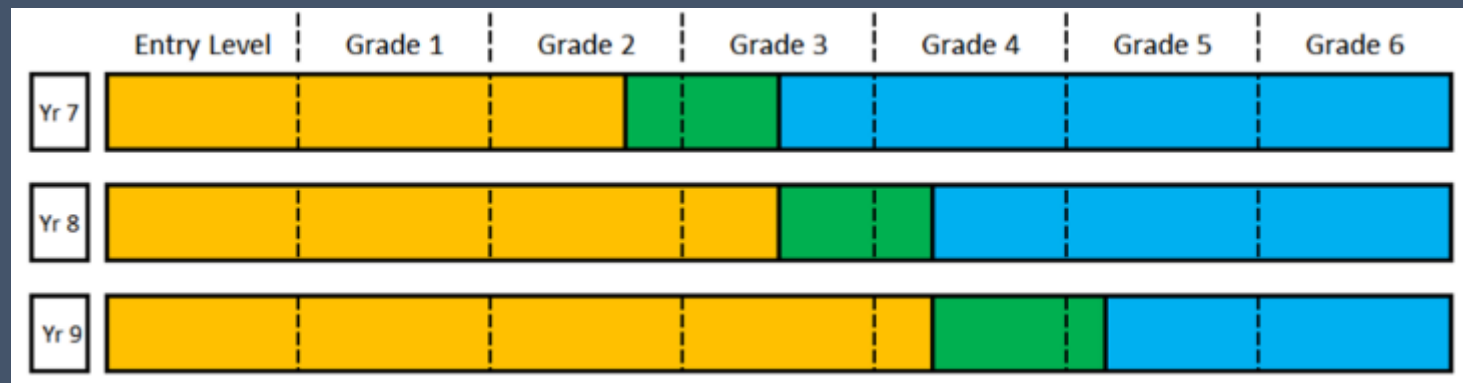
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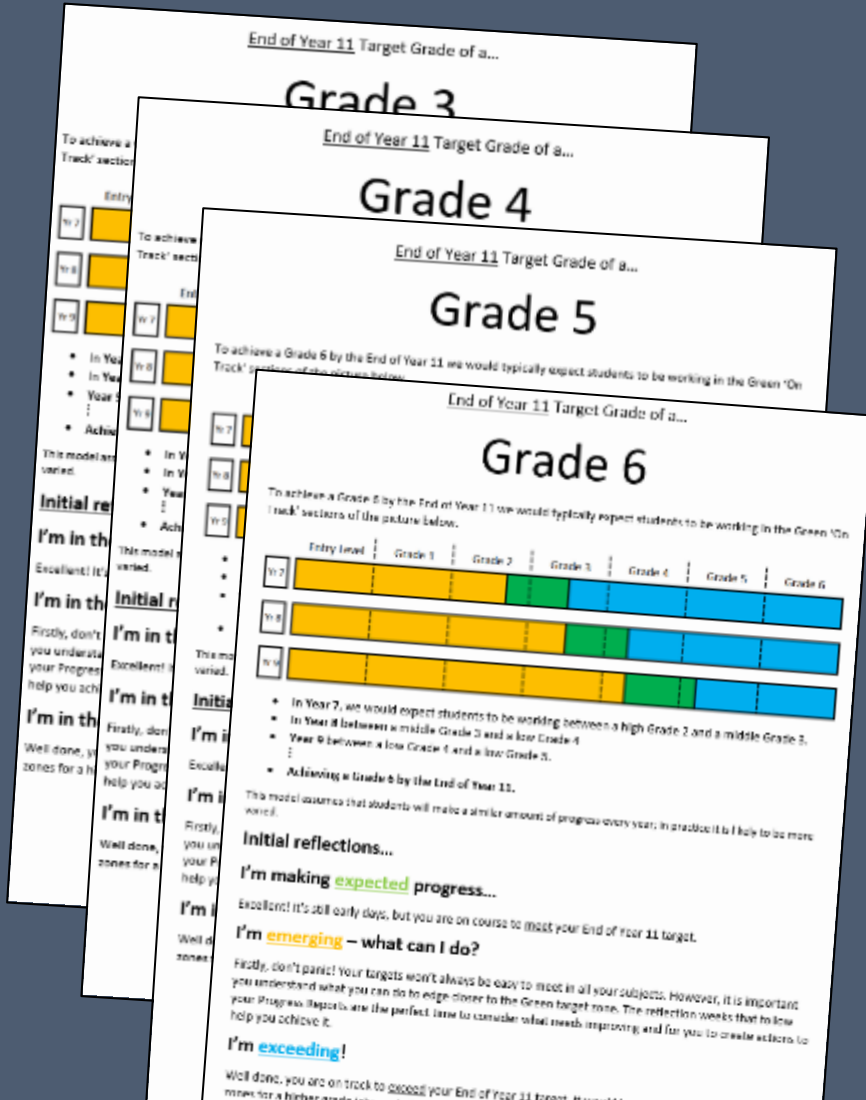


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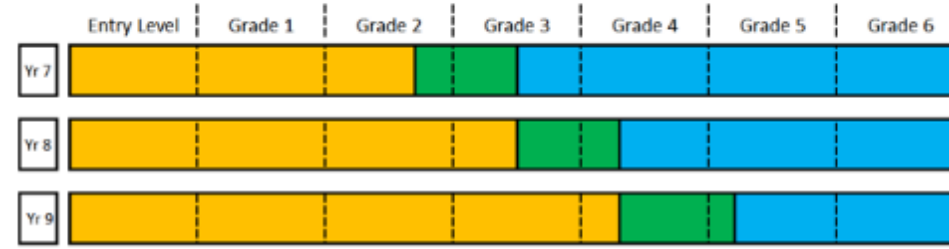
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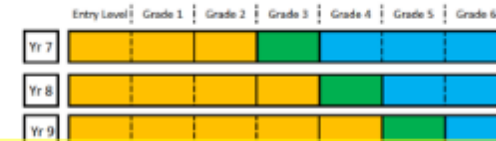
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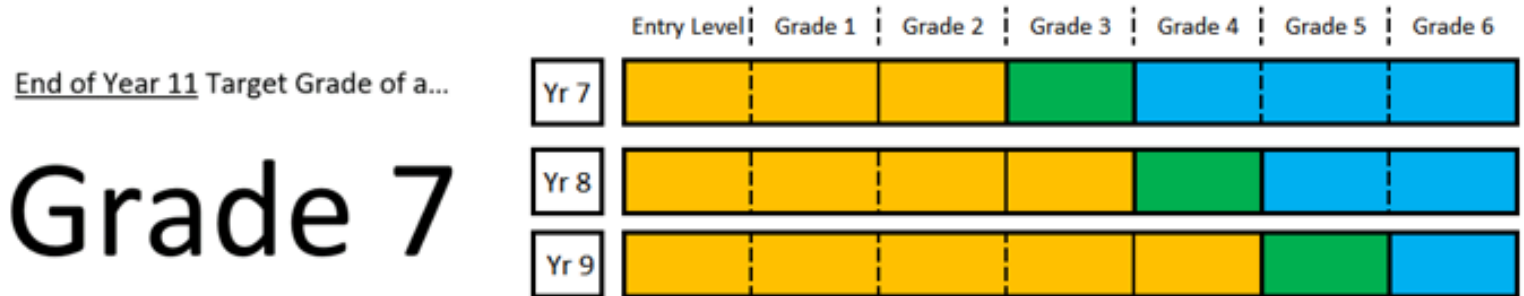
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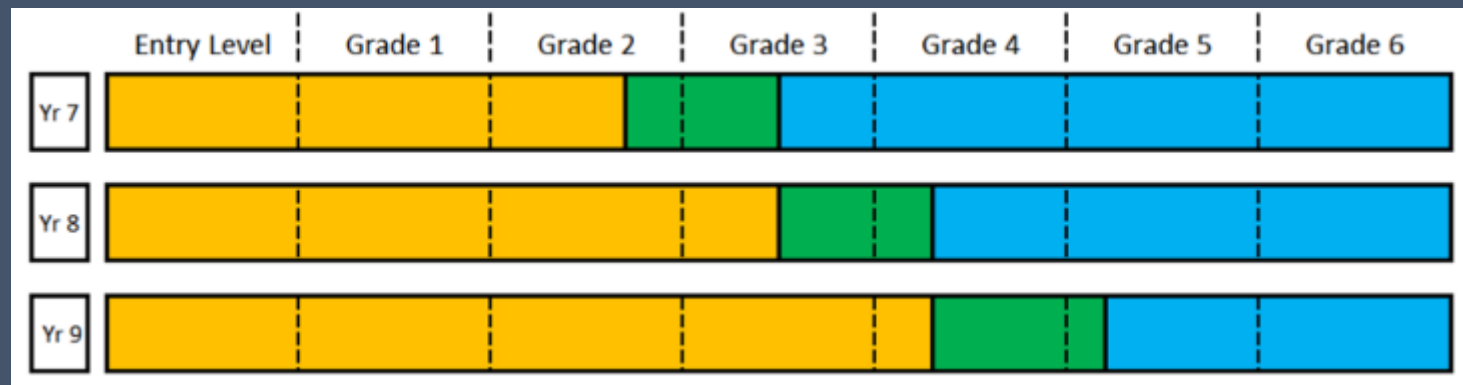
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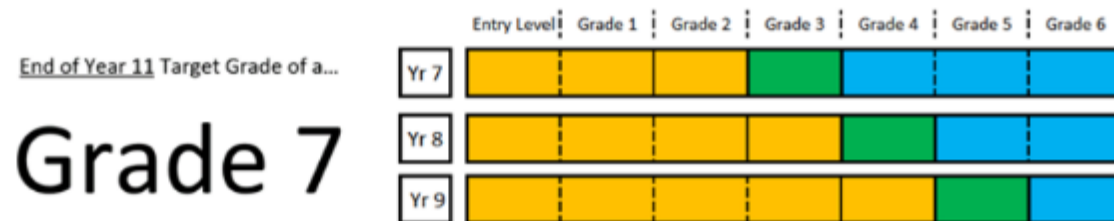
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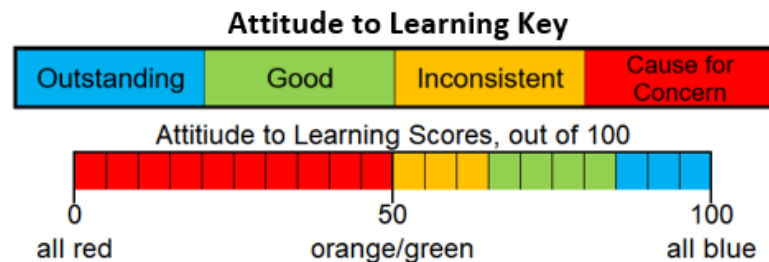
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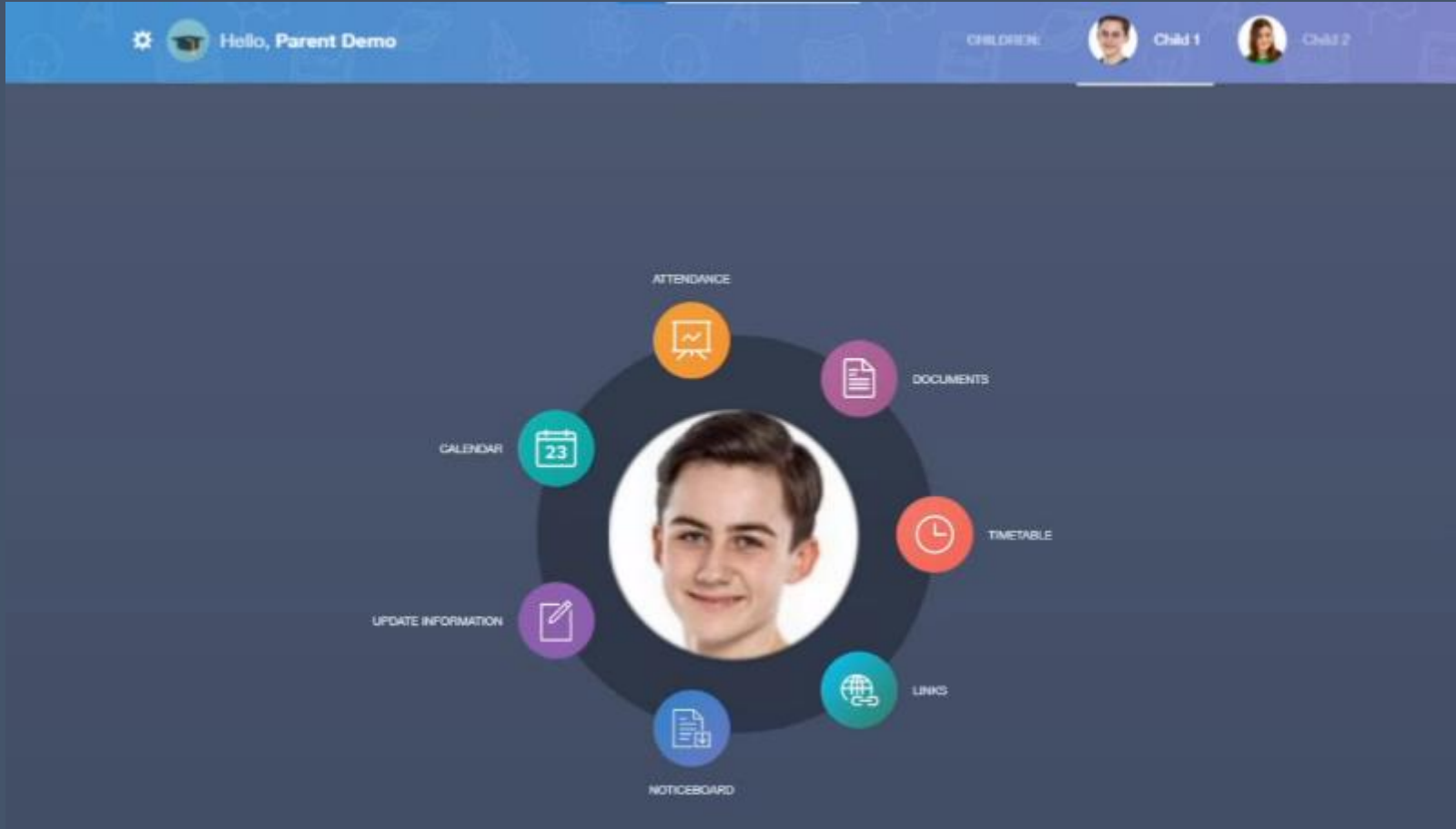
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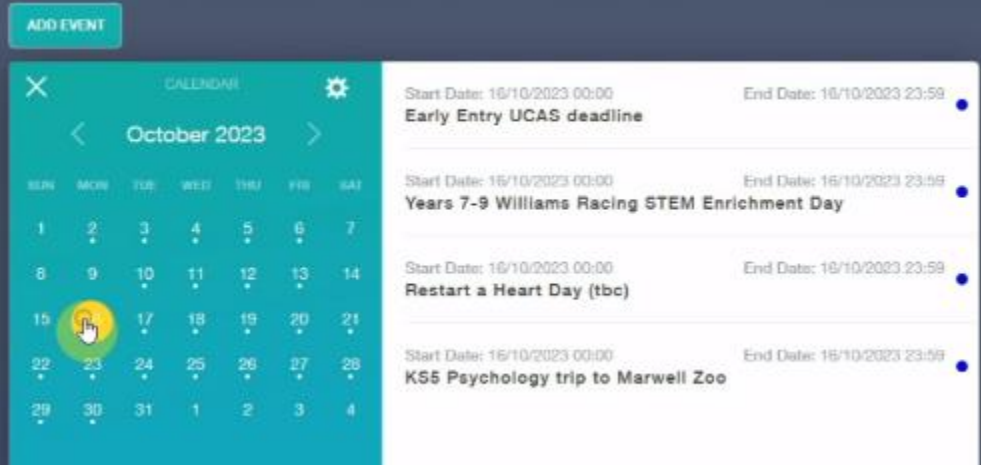


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Coming Soon...EduLink



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NOTICEBOARD

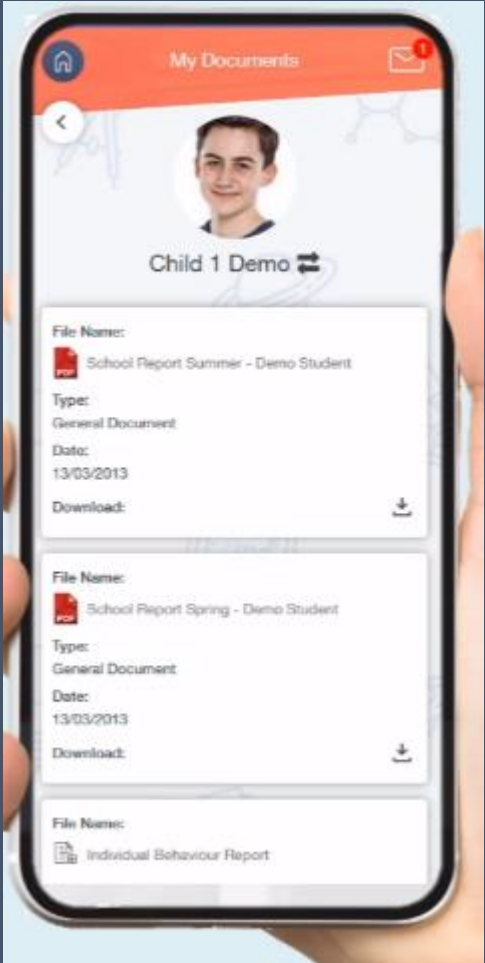
Years 7, 12 and 13 Photographs

Friday 8th September

Home

- Newsletters
- Term Dates
- Rent My Locker letter
- Behaviour Policy 2023-2024

- School Website
- Satchel One (Homework, Behaviour points, Detentions)
- ParentPay (Meals, Tips)
- SchoolCloud (Parents' Evening)
- VLE (Virtual Learning Environment)
- Wallingford School Facebook



We would now like to invite you to meet our Year 7 Tutor Team.



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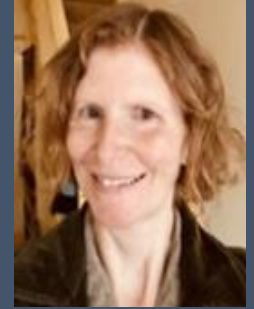
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The role of the form group

- Tutor time – a good start to the day
- #GetReading
- First point of contact
- PSHE
- Reflection on progress report
- Support and challenge

Healthy habits

- Attend school regularly and on time
- Get into a term time routine
- Limit devices in bedrooms / overnight
- Encourage your child to complete and hand in homework on time
- Talk to your child about what they are learning

Our expectations

- Attendance – at least 95% (did you know 90% attendance means you end up missing a whole half term over 2 years?)
- Punctuality – school starts at 8.35am
- Behaviour Policy
 - Home School Agreement
 - Uniform
 - Mobile phones
 - Punctuality
 - Behaviour Stage System
 - Detentions

- Homework will be set over the course of the week. We suggest the following days for pupils to complete the work. This may help pupils and their families organise and plan their work across the week.
 - Monday - English
 - Tuesday - Maths
 - Wednesday – Science
 - Thursday – Humanities (History, Geography & Religious Education)
 - Friday – Modern Foreign Languages (Year 7 either French or German, years 8 and 9 French and German)
- Design & Technology, Music, Art & Drama may also be set on any day of the week but is unlikely to be set on a weekly basis. PE and STEM homework will not be set.

How much?

- Each homework set should take approximately 20-50 minutes.
- Pupils should expect to receive no more than 7 hours homework per week (1 hour per day across the full week), but typically we would expect approximately 3-6 hours per week, increasing as pupils progress through Key Stage 3.

What do I do if there is a problem?

- Contact me!
- Contact the head of year (Ms Shine)
- Use the get help button on the school website
- Encourage your child to talk to a member of staff at school